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**PROVISION OF PROJECT AND/OR PROJECT PLANNING DATA OF AN AUTOMATION PROJECT IN A FORMAT WHICH IS DEFINED BY A STANDARDIZED META LANGUAGE, IN PARTICULAR XML**

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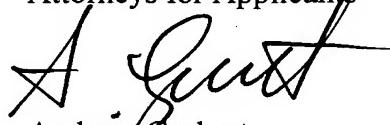
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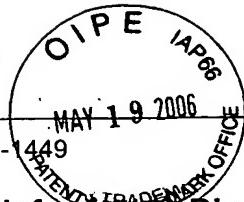
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